

REMARKS

The Amendments

The amendments overcome the rejections and objections.

Support for the amendment to the definition of R⁵ in claims 1-6 and 31 can be found, for example on page 9, last paragraph.

Support for the amendment to the definition of n in claims 3-5 can be found, for example, on page 12, in formula (2)-3, having 5 Si atoms, which means that n therein is 4.

Claim 13 is amended to be properly dependent on amended claim 1.

Claim 16 and 19, which were noted allowable, are rewritten in independent form.

Claim 17 is amended by removing polymers A and B.

A few new dependent claims are added.

The Rejections Under 35 USC § 102

The current claims are not anticipated.

The Rejections Under 35 USC § 103

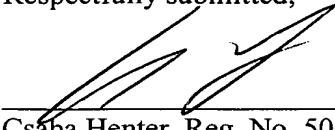
None of the references cited renders obvious the current claims. None of these references alone or in any combination teach or suggest the current claims, nor is an allegation made to that affect in the Office Action.

Double Patenting Rejections

A terminal disclaimer is attached attending to these rejections.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,



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